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One day closure at Oregon Trail Center for maintenance

Baker City, Oregon – The National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center will be closed for one day on Monday, Feb. 24 for construction work on the heating system.

Contractors have been working for several months on replacement of the heating and air-conditioning system, and need to close to the public to connect new systems. The Center is scheduled to re-open at its regular time on Tuesday morning, Feb. 25 at 9 a.m.

The current calendar of programs is available on the Center's website at oregontrail.blm.gov or by calling (541) 523-1843.

The National Historic Oregon Trail Interpretive Center, operated by the Bureau of Land Management, is located 5 miles east of Baker City, Oregon, on Highway 86. Take Exit 302 from I-84. The Interpretive Center is open Winter Schedule from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday through Sunday through February 15, 2014. Admission for adults is \$5. Seniors are \$3.50. Children 15 and under are free. Federal passes are accepted. Visit oregontrail.blm.gov for more information about the Interpretive Center, or call (541) 523-1843 for updates on programs and events. For information on this and other activities in Baker County, Oregon, call 1 (800) 523-1235.

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